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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

MELVIN ATKINS,

Plaintiff,

v.

CITY OF PETALUMA; PETALUMA POLICE
DEPARTMENT; OFFICER PAUL
ACCORNERO; and DOES 1 through 100,
inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No: C07-05524 SI (BZ)

**STIPULATION RE USE OF PRIOR
SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE IN LIEU
OF EARLY NEUTRAL EVALUATION
HEREIN; [PROPOSED] ORDER**

Complaint Filed: September 14, 2007
Trial Date: Not Yet Set

1 All parties participated in a settlement conference with Magistrate Judge Bernard
2 Zimmerman on March 7, 2008. While the parties did not settle during this session, the parties
3 currently have a follow up session with Magistrate Judge Zimmerman on May 2, 2008. The parties
4 request that the settlement conference before Judge Zimmerman serve as a substitute for the
5 mediation program in this matter and request that the order referring the matter to court-connected
6 Early Neutral Evaluation be formally vacated.

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8 Dated: April 21, 2008

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